

# It's News Here!

## Former Editor Bob Strong Dies In Florida

Word was received here Monday evening from Florida, of the death of Robert W. Strong, 67, former publisher and editor of the Crawford County Avalanche.

The body was to be cremated and returned here where Memorial Services will be held at a later date.

Anyone wishing to make contributions are directed to make them to the Crawford County Library of which Mr. Strong was instrumental in getting built.

## Woodcutter Finds Body In Beaver Creek Woods

A woodcutter discovered a partially decomposed body in a wooded section of Beaver Creek Township last Sunday.

The Crawford County Sheriff Department have tentatively identified the body as Richard Keith Jones, 18, of Sterling Heights. Jones was reported missing to the Sterling Heights Police Department on July 7.

The Sheriff's Department is asking anyone who may have spotted a vehicle driven by Jones in the Crawford County area between May 17 and July 12 to call the department. Jones drove a 1975 Chevy Camero, black with red, and it had chrome mag wheels with chrome side plates. The license number is SCP-452.

## Grayling Man Mute on Arraignment

A 21-year-old Grayling man stood mute at his arraignment before Circuit Court Judge William Porter July 7 on two charges of assault with intent to rob while armed.

Kevin Marculewicz was freed on bond after the court entered a plea of innocent for him.

Marculewicz is charged with an armed robbery attempt of a Grayling couple in front of the Red Barn on April 26.

## Street Improvement Bid Awarded

M & M Excavating, of Gaylord, with a bid of \$237,854, received a contract from the City of Grayling for street improvement. A total of 15 city blocks will be repaired. The Grayling City Council awarded the contract at their regular meeting held last Monday night.

## Kids Canoe Race Set for Fri., July 24th

The Grayling Area Canoe Livery Association is again sponsoring a canoe race for kids between the ages of eleven and seventeen. The race will be held the same day as the annual marathon canoe race, Friday, July 24th.

There will be three age groups; 11 to 12 year old; 13 to 14 year old; and 15 to 17 year old. Awards will be given in each age group for 1st, 2nd, and 3rd places.

The race will start at the State Street Bridge in Grayling. The 11 to 12 year old, and 13 to 14 year old groups will start at 11 a.m. and finish at Louis Landing. The 15 to 17 year old group will start at 10:00 a.m. and finish at Stephens Bridge Landing.

Canoes to be used are 17 foot aluminum and paddles are to be no more than 8 inches in width. (The standard wooden paddle or the Carlisle paddle are the right sizes).

All the Grayling Area Canoe Liveries have agreed to allow participants to use rental canoes for the practice at no charge, on weekdays only. The participants are responsible for their own pickup of the canoes for the practice runs. Canoe liveries will not make pick-ups without charge.

Competitors can sign up by contacting Mike or Kathy Lovely at Carlisle Canoes at 110 State Street. Permission slips must be signed by parents or guardians to be in the race. You must be signed up by July 23rd. An entrance fee of \$1.00 per person will be charged.

## Chamber of Commerce Elect Officers

Dean Molnar has been elected President of the Grayling Regional Chamber of Commerce for 1981-82. Molnar is currently vice-president of the chamber and will take over as president September 1.

Other officers elected are Ted Kortes, vice-president, Fred Armstrong, second-vice-president, and John Alef, Secretary-Treasurer.

In other action at the chamber's board of directors meeting Thursday, July 9, Colonel Jack Lippert was appointed to represent the chamber on the Crawford County Planning Commission. He will serve as a non-voting advisory member.

## Attention Kids!

It's time again for the annual "Woof N' Purr" Pet Fashion Show, during the Milltown Festival. All small pets will be dressed up to show off. The winning pet will be named the Grayling, National Reye's Syndrome Foundation 1981 Mascot. There will be prizes and trophies. No entry fee will be charged. Any donations offered will be given to The National Reye's Syndrome Foundation for research and awareness.

So, get those animals spruced up and we will all see you at the Grayling State Bank, Saturday, August 1st, 1:30 for sign up and 2:00 the show will go on.

## Downtown Merchants to Meet July 16

The Downtown Merchants Association will hold their monthly breakfast meeting on Thursday, July 16, at 8 a.m. in Chief Shoppe-nagon's Motor Hotel. We will be discussing the Downtown Merchants Advertisement Program, on the front of Dial-A-Ride busses, a FREE pass system for people who shop downtown and ride the Dial-A-Ride busses.

Also, we will have an up-to-date report on the progress of our "Attitudinal Survey" of the community regarding our Downtown shopping area. We will have a report on our flags that we purchased to beautify our Downtown Area and a Christmas promotion report.

We will conclude the meeting with a Milltown Festival report. All merchants are URGED to attend this meeting to plan our activities for these coming months.

## Grayling Represented at Cherry Festival

Connie Keene, Miss Grayling 1981, just missed winning the Miss National Cherry Queen title last weekend. Miss Mesick took the crown and Keene made her royal court out of a field of 21 girls.

Grayling was also represented by a Grayling Regional Chamber of Commerce float during the Cherry Royale Parade, Holly Nunn, runner-up to Miss Grayling for 1981, represented Grayling on the float while Keene rode on the float carrying Miss National Cherry Queen and her court.

Jim and Joyce Kolka drove the float and Scheer Motors supplied the car.

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**THIS TURKEY'S FOR REAL**—This hefty turkey was donated to the 4-H celebrity auction by Avalanche publisher-editor Whitey Madsen (far right). These 4-H members, (from left to right) Jay Mobarak, 5, Craig Mobarak, 13, Carrie Boddy, 11, and Ruth Boddy, 9, will be taking care of the big bird until the auction.

## Guard Gears up For Annual Training

More than 7,400 members of the Michigan Army National Guard arrived at Camp Grayling Saturday to attend two weeks of annual training. They will be at the training site through July 25.

The purpose of this year's training will be to improve the mobilization and readiness abilities of the participating units. The Michigan Army National Guard is rated second in nation as compared to all other National Guard units, which are rated in 48 separate areas.

Training exercises will be geared toward defense against "aggressor forces". These exercises will include helicopter assaults, artillery gunfire during simulated combat conditions, gas and chemical war-

fare, infantry exercises, tank attack and defense tactics and construction work by guard engineer units.

One of the highlights of this year's training session will be the annual pass and review ceremony on the parade field at Camp Grayling. Gov. William Milliken, Commander in Chief of the Michigan National Guard, will be on hand to review Guard personnel during the ceremony. The event begins at 4 p.m. Friday, July 17 and is open to the public.

Units attending annual training include the 46 Brigade, 46 Engineer Group, 177 Military Police Group, 72 Support Brigade, 72 Command and Control and units of junior ROTC.

Several units will not be at-

tending the training at Camp Grayling. The 1461 Transportation Company from Jackson was in Mannheim, Germany June 13-27, while the 1073 Maintenance Company from Greenville is in Hanau, Germany now through Aug. 1. Company F, 425 Infantry, Pontiac will attend training at Fort Hood, Texas July 25 through Aug. 8. Two other units, B Battery of the 119 Field Artillery, Albion and C Company, 1st Battalion of the 125 Infantry, Cheboygan, are training at Camp Ripley Minn. The two units are trading places with two similar units from the Minnesota Guard, C Btry 1st Battalion of the 151 Field Artillery and C Company of the 1st Battalion of the 136th Infantry, as part of a Guard exchange program.

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## Grayling Booster Club Award Eight Scholarships

By Bud Joyce

The second year of participation in a scholarship program has resulted in awards to eight outstanding Grayling High School graduates. Seven scholarships were awarded to 1981 graduates and one award was given to a 1980 graduate who achieved exceptionally

high grades during his freshman year at Michigan Tech. All scholarships awards were for \$500.00 for each student.

The seven 1981 recipients included Melissa Meldrum, Holly Nunn, Jay Schrader, Shawna Watters, Sheryl Wieland, Gary Pettyjohn and Susan Diedrich. The college freshman award

recipient was Mark Whaley.

The Scholarship Committee, appointed last April by Booster Club President Larkin Baker, included Mrs. Ilene Parsons, Mrs. Rose Duley, Mr. Bill Duke, and Mr. Bud Joyce, Chairman.

The committee was again impressed by the number of candidates (29) and the quality of the young applicants. Mrs. Duley, serving on the committee this year for the first time, remarked, "I am truly impressed by these fine young people. I only wish we had more money available to help more than just a few applicants."

Her sentiments were echoed by other committee members also.

Many hours were spent in deliberations before reaching consensus decisions on all student applications.

The Booster Club Scholarship program was initiated in 1980 by then Club President, Bill Duke. Seven scholarships were awarded last year. These seven students responded with high (average 3.3 honor point) grade averages during their freshman year at five different Michigan colleges or universities. The large number of 1981 high school applicants, who were considered first, allowed the selection of only one student for

\$3.35 per hour.

In making the announcement, Nowak said the youth will be placed in worksites throughout the county. Several new components have been added to this year's program which will include Work Experience, Career Counseling, Vocational Exploration, Remedial Skills, and Job Factory. The new components have been added to the program to prepare youth for unsubsidized employment.

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## From Our Corner ...



This week it is going to be a bummer to fill our space...the weather has been to dang hot too even try to think up a batch of goodies to pass on...

We were talking to a businessman the other day, and he mentioned that if we could be assured of this nice summer weather for the next couple of months and then warm up, maybe some of the businesses could regroup some of the heavy losses they have experienced the last couple of winters when our area didn't have the snow to bring the winter enthusiasts north...we heartily agreed with him...so far it seems the tourist business is up along with the National Guard encampments...

Fears last spring when the Michigan State Highway Department announced that revamping the I-75 Business Loop through Grayling would take place this summer have apparently been unfounded...many believed that the work would ruin the tourist and transient trade by being all torn up...the handling of the underground work and the eventual black-topping for the Business Loop from M-72 East and I-75 north to M-72 West and I-75 has been done with hardly any inconvenience of the travelling public...the construction company of Rieth-Riley deserves a Tip of the Derby from Our Corner...

Right now, while we are trying to put this turkey together, one of the biggest decisions to effect our community in a long while is taking place at the Crawford-AuSable Board of Education meeting...their decision tonight on whether to go for another election and ask the voters one more time for some extra millage to operate the school district for another year, or sit back and go with the austerity program that was voted on in the last election when the electorate voted down the extra millage for operation...we hope they ask for another vote...Jon Thompson is covering the meeting tonight, his story appears on page one...

Now that the Fourth of July Celebration in Grayling is a thing of the past...citizens are now turning their attention to the annual Grayling Milltown Festival set for the last week of July with the finale July 31-August 1st and 2nd...kicking off this year's festival will be the annual AuSable River Canoe Marathon from Grayling to Oscoda set for July 24th...

Each year the Milltown Festival keeps getting larger and larger and this year's plans to be even better...for our readers down state and elsewhere, why not plan in taking in this year's festivities? We are sure you will enjoy it...

Many, many times we have mentioned about our column as a turkey, and we have heard many remarks, pro and con, on our usage of the name turkey...we must admit, we did not coin the phrase...we heard it many years ago while in the service...anyhow, through the urging of a couple ladies we agreed to donate our turkey to the 4-H group for their auction during the Milltown Festival weekend, as just a part of the many fantastic items they have received from celebrities from all over the country...our turkey is beaut, and I do not wish to know who ever buys it if they had it for Thanksgiving dinner...

Too dang hot in the salt mine tonight, we're going to head for the back yard and an orange pop...goodnight T.J., Stef and Amber, and to all who have stayed with us this far, have a nice weekend...summer is beautiful...

## from HISTORY'S SCRAPBOOK DATES AND EVENTS FROM YESTERYEARS

July 16, 1945 - United States conducts 1st atomic bomb test, at Alamogordo, N.M.  
 July 17, 1929 - Robert H. Goddard fires liquid-fueled rocket 100 feet into the air, in a cow pasture in Auburn, Mass.  
 July 18, 1914 - U.S. Army creates an aviation section within the Signal Corps.  
 July 19, 1814 - Samuel Colt, inventor of the Colt revolver, born Hartford, Conn.  
 July 20, 1942 - First detachment of Women Auxiliary Army Corps begins basic training at Ft. Des Moines, Iowa.  
 July 21, 1959 - First atomic-powered merchant ship, N. S. Savannah, launched.  
 July 22, 1943 - Palermo, Sicily, falls to Gen. George Patton's Seventh Army.

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## Interesting Events In Grayling 23 Years Ago

INTERESTING ITEMS OF NEWS GATHERED FROM THE FILES OF THE AVALANCHE OF 23 YEARS AGO

23 Years Ago  
July 17, 1958

Mr. and Mrs. Thomas Small of Grayling are the parents of a five pound 8 1/2 oz. daughter, Hazel Marie, born to them July 12th. Mr. and Mrs. Frank Allen of Roscommon and Mr. and Mrs. Clarence Small are the baby's grandparents.

Mr. Arthur Thayer returned home Saturday from two weeks active duty with the naval reserve at Great Lakes training center. He stopped in Chesaning on the way to bring his grandmother, Mrs. Lucy Thayer, home with him for a visit.

Brooks Madsen, son of Mr. and Mrs. Svend Madsen of Gaylord, is spending this week as guest of Bill Heath.

The Alley Kats bowling team, Mrs. LeRoy Papendick, Mrs. Robert Hayes, Mrs. Gerald Blaine, Miss Kate Nave and Mrs. Betty LaChappelle, spent their bowling kitty on an overnight trip and visit in Charlevoix over the weekend.

Mr. and Mrs. Richard Miller of Mt. Morris are spending a week with her parents, the Grant Thompsons. They will take their daughter Jody, who has been with her grandparents for about a month, back home on their return.

Mr. and Mrs. Gust Soderberg of Escanaba visited her daughter Mr. and Mrs. Bruce Smith and family, Monday through Wednesday of last week. Mr. and Mrs. Clyde Smith of Mancelona were their guests Sunday before last.

Mr. and Mrs. Wesley Kumpula left last Thursday on a two week fishing trip to Timmins, Ontario. They will attend a high school reunion at Calumet High School in the U.P. on the way back.

Miss Twila Sorenson of Detroit is spending the summer with her sister and family, the Jim McClains.

Dr. and Mrs. B.E. Henig entertained a group of friends at dinner down river last Thursday evening.

Little Miss Jamie Miller of Mt. Morris, who is visiting her grandparents the Grant Thompsons, enjoyed celebrating her 5th birthday at her uncle's, the Gordon Thompson's home, Monday. About fourteen youngsters helped Jamie spend the afternoon in playing games and eating a picnic lunch in the yard.

Mr. and Mrs. Vic Papendick and son Mike left Sunday for Waukegan, Ill., where they will reside.

Junior Palmer is adding a new porch on his Ogemaw street home.

46 Years Ago  
July 17, 1958

Mr. and Mrs. James Hartwick of Detroit arrived Saturday to be here for homecoming week.

Mr. and Mrs. Fred Catlin of Toledo are visiting the latter's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Paul Ziebell.

Mr. and Mrs. Rufus Edmonds, Jr., of Flint spent the weekend here visiting his parents.

Jack and Russell Kerney of Cleveland Heights are guests of John Henry Peterson. The boys are camping at Lake Margrethe.

Lavern Perry and friend, Miss Mary Jedliss, of Detroit, drove up for the homecoming. While here they will be the guests of Mr. Perry's sisters, Mrs. Thomas Wells and Mrs. J. Perry.

Adolph Peterson has purchased the Mrs. Thorkild Boeson house on Chestnut St., and Axel Peterson has purchased the Peterson home for his mother, Mrs. Andrew Peterson.

Herman E. Schreiber of Long Branch, N.J., is visiting his mother, Mrs. Hugo

## The Bible Speaks

From Calvary Baptist Church

### The Devotion of Man

Part 1 Romans 1:21-25

Evolution is a fool's theory of origins based upon unbelief in the person, work and image of God in man's creation. Evolution is the Atheist's attempt to explain origins logically, without God. God says every Atheist is a fool. (Psalm 14:1 & 53:1) God says He made man in His own image and man continues to degenerate to the image of animals. Romans 1:21-32 pictures the patterns of degeneration followed by man.

"Because that, when they knew God, they glorified him not as God, neither were thankful, but became vain in their imaginations, and their foolish heart was darkened." Romans 1:21. 1) Mankind once "knew God" and became wilfully ignorant of Him. This is true of every Atheist because he is rejecting the Deity and Power of God revealed in nature. Romans 1:19-20. 2) Failure to glorify God as God is the first great sin of those who know

"And changed the glory of the incorruptible God into an image made like to corruptible man, and to birds, and four-footed beasts, and creeping things." They changed God's image into a man - Secular Humanism. They changed the image of God into various animals in nature - Nature Worship. One of our local citizens indicated publicly that he is impressed with the wisdom of the trout, compared to other choices of religious knowledge within our community.

"Wherefore God also gave them up to uncleanness through the lusts of their own hearts, to dishonor their own bodies before themselves." Those who reject God and His revelation will be given up to uncleanness. "Who changed the truth of God into a lie, and worshipped and served the creature more than the Creator, who is blessed for ever. A-men." Romans 1:25. Have you rejected the Word of God for Secular Humanism which worships man? Do you serve yourself more than you serve God?? Please don't follow the road of Devotion. (adv.)

Pastor Barnett

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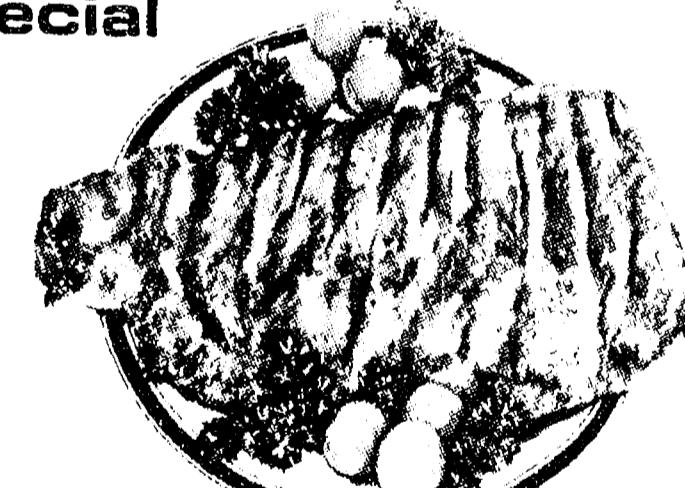
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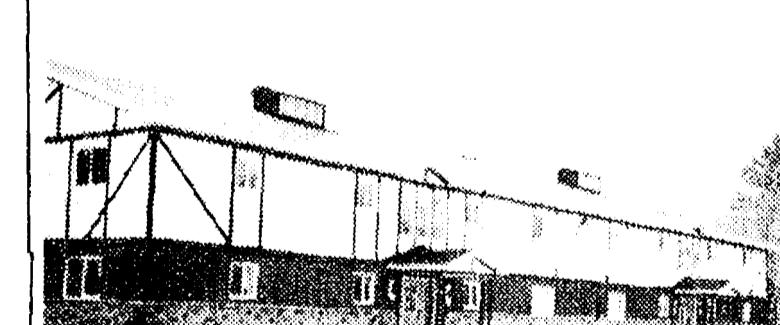
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# Brochure to Promote Skiing at Hanson Hills

By Jon Thompson

The Grayling Recreation Authority Board voted in favor of the brochure at their monthly meeting Tuesday, July 7, held at the park.

Interim park manager Howard Taylor said the brochure will mainly promote skiing at the park because "it will be the ski season that will make or break the park this year."

"Although we would like to get started this summer on our plans to make this a year-round park, we'll have to concentrate on the ski season for revenues this year," Taylor said. "Then if we have a super ski season, we're on our way and next spring we can begin most of the work necessary for year-round use."

Taylor became interim manager of the park, a volunteer position, on June 2 and has proposed plans to turn Hanson Hills into a year-round park.

Bernie Fowler, a recreation authority board member, said he felt the only way the park will survive is to turn it into a year-round recreation center.

At the meeting last Tuesday, Taylor presented the board with a preliminary budget for 1981-82 totaling \$67,205. Expenses for operating the park from July 1, 1981, to July 1, 1982, take up most of the budget. Included in the proposed budget are plans to handle most community recreation programs at the park.

During last year's short ski season, expenditures totaled about \$32,000 at the park while revenues came to \$30,000—down considerably from previous years.

The board will act on the proposed budget at their next

regular meeting Tuesday, August 4.

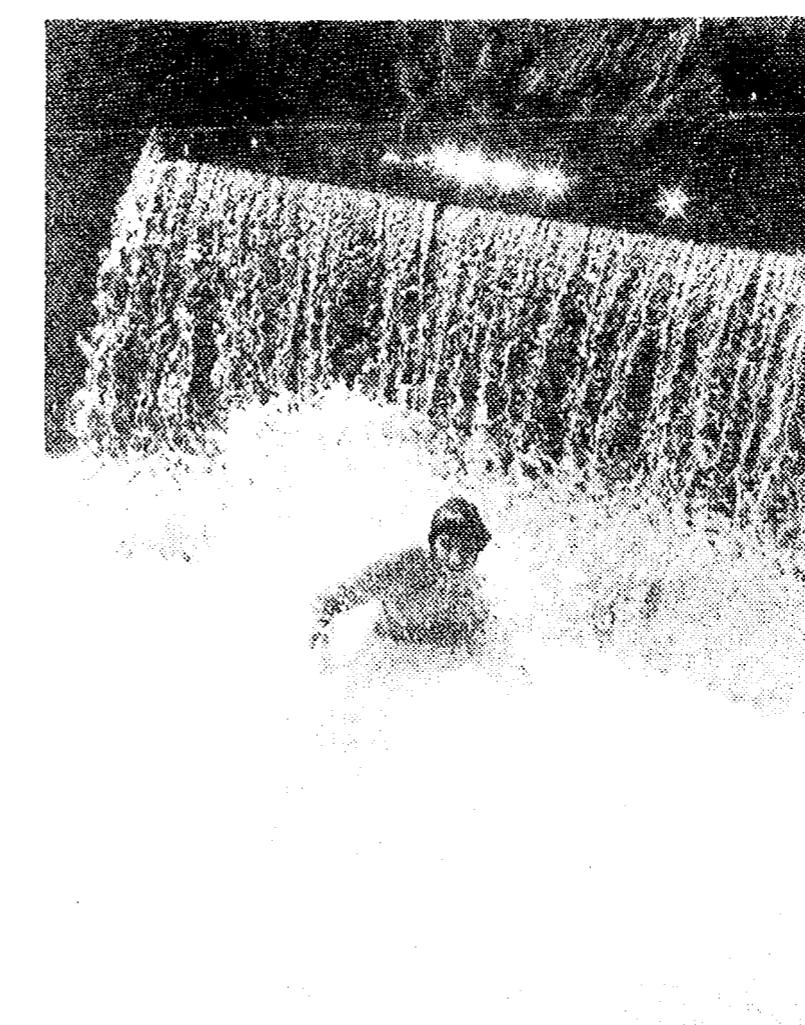
Despite 90 degree Fahrenheit temperature at last week's meeting, ski rates were set for the winter season.

If paid before December 1, memberships for students will be \$90, adults \$110, and families \$200, the same as last season. After December 1, all memberships will cost 25 percent more. Installment payments may be arranged but must be completed before December 1 to qualify for the 25 percent savings.

Rental rates for downhill and cross-country ski equipment will be the same as last year.

## Par For The Course

By Fay Bovee



**THE PAUSE THAT REFRESHES**—Russ DeHart, of Grayling, takes a cool shower in the waterfalls near the Grayling City Park. (Photo by Jon Thompson)

## Forestry Festival At Mio July 16-18

MIO—Over \$2,500 in prize money will be awarded in the contests of skill at the 22nd annual Great Lakes Forestry Exposition to be held July 16-18 at the Oscoda County Park.

The contests include chain saw, modified chain saw, chopping, axe-throwing, buck saw and cross-cut sawing competition. Also featured will be a jack and jill cross-cut contest, for man-and-woman teams.

Each afternoon during Expo, beginning at 1 p.m., the skilled lumberjacks gather for the contests, in the open area at the center of the park on the banks of the AuSable River in town.

Championships to be decided include a state of Michigan lumberjack contest, the Great Lakes Forestry Exposition championship and a qualifying show for the Homelite Tournament of Kings.

The skill contests are but one event in the three-day festival which promotes the use, enjoyment and appreciation of Michigan's natural resources, specifically timber and outdoor recreation. A unique river float parade on the AuSable River Saturday night concludes the 3-day festival.

Mio, in the county of Oscoda, is located 100 miles north of Saginaw on M-33 at M-72.

In the Land of Woods, Water and Wildlife.

Note: Local Details - 517/826-3264.

## Log Grading Workshop at Mio

Friday, July 17 has been designated "Wood Products Day" at the Great Lakes Forestry Exposition in Mio.

Highlighting the day's program will be a log grading workshop sponsored by the MSU Cooperative Extension Service at 9:00 a.m. in the Community Center in Mio. Also on the program will be a presentation by Dr. John Gunter of the DNR, and Dr. Hank Huber, MSU Extension Forestry Specialist, will present the log grading program. It will include actual sawing demonstrations by the sawmill at the Exposition site in the Oscoda County Park.

Wood producers, sawmill operators, and foresters and forestry technicians should find this program very useful.

Further information can be obtained by contacting Bob Ojala, Oscoda County Extension Director and Extension Forester, at 517/826-3264.

The auction will benefit the Crawford County Community Services Christmas Project, which each year provides clothing, toys and food to needy families in the community.

A donation of \$1.00 provides entrance and a chance for a door prize, furnished by the Gallery. Tickets are available from any BPW member or at the door.

Art ranging from Norman Rockwell to Salvador Dali and including Lithographs, oils, sculpture, enamels, woodcuts and graphics will be sold at below retail price. All items are authenticated and may be exchanged.

In addition, I would also like to thank your local radio stations WGRV and WQON for their assistance in helping us publicize our activities during Annual Training.

For the 506th USAG from Detroit, I again express my sincere appreciation for everything Grayling's residents have done for us.

Sincerely,  
Dean F. Fleury, Jr.  
Major, OD, USAR  
Public Affairs Officer

## Chris Clover's Corner

"Cooperative Extension Service programs are open to all without regard to race, color, national origin or sex."

By Sue Louchart

Hi! I'm Chris Clover here with news from the Crawford County 4-H Clubs.

Summer finds the members of the 4-H Clubs very busy in their summer activities. Many new clubs have sprung up and more are coming.

Saturdays afternoons are going to be busy with the new 4-H Youth Choir practicing with their director Mrs. Brooks. Anyone ages 8 through 13 boys and girls are welcome to join.

If you like to clown around and who of us doesn't, why not join the new Clown Club on Wednesdays. I heard that the leader is a man who has been a real clown and really know all the fine points of clowning. It's work but fun to be a real clown.

A reminder to all swimmers that there will be no swimming the 13th through the 29th at the Pine Knoll Pool. During the time swimming MAYBE at the lake for some groups. Do not go to the lake to your lesson unless you are notified by the office!

Pending approval from the Military Board a 4-H Horse Arena maybe built out at Hanson Hills. If it is, the horse clubs are hoping to put on a horse

show for the community. Isn't that great!

4-H Achievement Day is coming up fast as club members work to finish their projects for the judging.

The Kitchen Magicians who put on a beautiful tea for their mothers of their cooking skills are now busy baking practice batches that they hope to display for judging.

The Leader Dogs for the Blind have been busy learning the proper way to walk in different events. The July 4th parade was a very good learning experience for the dogs.

The needles and hooks are really flying in the Needlecraft Club as the members want to finish their projects in time for Achievement Day for judging.

Two county fairs are coming up in the area in August. The Clare County Fair in Harrison will be Aug. 2-8 and the Roscommon County Fair will be Aug. 12-15. All are welcome at these fairs and exhibitors are

needed. If anyone would like to join one or more of the many clubs or start a new club just call the 4-H Office at 348-5123 and let Ann know. See you!

## Editor's Mailbox

Department of the Army

10 July 1981

Editor  
Crawford County Avalanche  
Grayling, Michigan

Dear Sir,  
On behalf of the 506th United States Army Reserve Garrison, I wish to extend wholehearted thanks to the citizens of the Grayling area for their hospitality during the last two weeks.

The reception given by the Chamber of Commerce made everyone feel especially welcome. A special thanks also to Joyce, whose help was much appreciated.

In addition, I would also like to thank your local radio stations WGRV and WQON for their assistance in helping us publicize our activities during Annual Training.

For the 506th USAG from Detroit, I again express my sincere appreciation for everything Grayling's residents have done for us.

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## Legal Notice

STATE OF MICHIGAN

In the Probate Court for

The County of Crawford

File No. 3916

Petition of Lisa Lynne Radebaugh.

TAKE NOTICE that on July 22, 1981 at 10:00 a.m. in the Probate Courtroom, Grayling, Michigan, before the Honorable Emil L. Kraus, Judge of Probate, a hearing will be held for the request of the Petitioner to change her name from Lisa Lynne Radebaugh to Lisa Lynne Sabin.

Dated: July 10, 1981

Lisa Lynne Radebaugh  
709 Michigan Avenue  
Grayling, Michigan 49738

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STATE OF MICHIGAN

In the Probate Court for

The County of Crawford

PUBLICATION AND

NOTICE OF HEARING

File No. 3304

Estate of John F. Cook, Deceased. Remainder Trust under Article VI of Will.

TAKE NOTICE: On July 31, 1981 at 10:00 a.m., in the probate courtroom, in the City of Grayling, Michigan, before Hon. Emil L. Kraus Judge of Probate, a hearing will be held on the Petition of Ina M. Cook and Second National Bank of Saginaw as Trustees under Article VI of the Will of John F. Cook, deceased for allowance of their Seventy-Second Amendment to their Will.

Dated: July 10, 1981

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## Second-Growth Forests Reaching Harvest Age



OVERMATURE JACK PINE—Don Torchia bored into the center of this 75-year-old jackpine to check its growth. Torchia found out the skinny jack pine grew little during the last 20 years. Most jack pine on sandy soil reach old age by 50 to 55 years. (Jon Thompson Photo)

By Jon Thompson

Most of the state forests in Crawford County have been growing undisturbed since they sprang up from burned-over land in the early 1900's.

Consequently, for years, "adjacent to state land" has been a positive selling point in real estate ads and county residents as well as tourists have regarded state forests as their private playground for snowmobiling, cross-country skiing, hiking, picnicking, foraging for wild foods, and other outdoor activities.

Property owners will still probably want to be next to state land and the outdoor activities won't cease, but the forests won't be growing undisturbed for too much longer.

The second-growth forests are reaching old age and the state can reap millions of dollars by cutting the trees before they rot or fall over.

"This could be the beginning of very good economic times for Crawford County," says Don Torchia, Department of Natural Resources Unified Area Forest Manager of Crawford and Roscommon counties.

Jack pine, abundant in Crawford County, has always been in demand as pulpwood for paper, and recent technological changes have created a demand for aspen and oak as well.

"For years, we couldn't give oak or aspen away," Torchia said. "People looked at aspen as a weed and before the firewood boom we sold standard cords of oak for 50 cents

apiece."

Already the increased demand for wood has put more than \$1 million in current timber sale contracts for the two counties in Torchia's file cabinet at the DNR field office in Roscommon. Thirteen years ago, timber sales in the entire state barely topped \$1 million.

And Torchia estimates only 50 to 65 percent of the state-owned forests in Crawford County at harvest age are being cut.

"We could sell more permits to cut this timber if we had more manpower."

Torchia even says the state is losing money because it can't cut all the trees ready for harvest.

"Timber isn't like having money in the bank," Torchia says. "It doesn't bring in more money the longer you let it sit there."

"Over-mature trees rot in the middle and begin to fall over in a few years. They lose their value very quickly."

Most of the oak, aspen, maple, and jack pine in the county is 55 to 60 years old — right about the best age for harvesting. This time, however, the trees won't be all cut within a few years as the giant 200-foot white and red pines were a century ago.

The DNR has divided Crawford County into more than 100 compartments and only small sections within each compartment will be cut each year. Each section will be on a 50-year rotation plan to insure a county-wide balance of mature

oaks and young, growing trees.

Hardwood areas will usually be clearcut and jack pine areas will usually be cut and then burnt.

"If a healthy aspen is cut, the root system from that one tree will send up a 1000 sprouts for 100 feet around the stump," Torchia said. "Let the tree grow old and fall over and there will be hardly any new sprouts coming up."

"Oaks are similar," Torchia said, "and as for burning jack pine, it's the best way to pop open those cones and prepare the soil for the seeds."

When the DNR allows clear-cutting, it leaves up to a 200-foot buffer of mature trees to screen the clearcutting area from roads or rivers and lakes. In ten years, a young forest has usually grown up high even on poor soils and the timber near the road can be cut.

On the economic side, the money for timber taken from state lands will go to the state, but wood processing plants, such as the new Weyerhaeuser plant, and logging crews could bring a lot of money into the county.

On the recreational side, the private-playground era appears to nearing an end as second-growth forests reach old age, and a new era of planned forest management — one that hopes to accommodate a growing timber industry and an increasing number of outdoor recreation enthusiasts — seems to be here.

### CMU Graduates

Four Crawford County persons received degrees at Central Michigan University commencement exercise in May.

Douglas Slater, of Frederic, received a Bachelor of Science degree in biology and was graduated magna cum laude.

Tom Haskel, of Grayling, received Bachelor of Social Work degree and was graduated cum laude.

William Fischer and Deborah Umlor, of Grayling, both received Master of Arts degrees.

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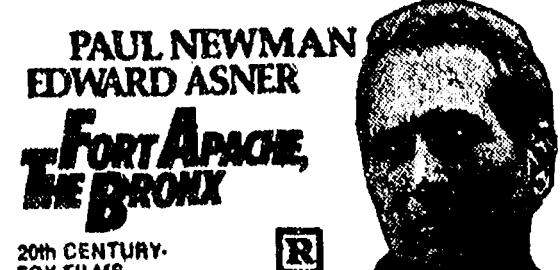
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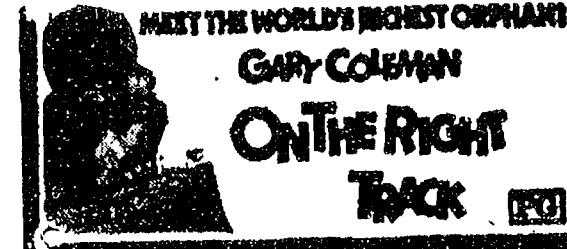
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Thursday, July 16, 1981

**Top Recruiter  
at Gaylord**

Staff Sergeant Christine M. Harr, the United States Air Force recruiter, 100 North Otsego Avenue, won the Top Recruiter Award for outstanding performance in the Northern 21 counties of Michigan during June 1981.

The award is bestowed monthly to the recruiter with the most outstanding job performance. It will be presented to Sgt Harr by Technical Sergeant James P. Purcell, her supervisor.

Sgt Harr has been a recruiter with the Air Force in Gaylord for two months. She resides locally with her husband Ron, a native of Chicago, Illinois.

The three-day Mackinac Anniversary will feature the departure of the British from Fort Michilimackinac on the mainland at Mackinaw City, via the sloop Welcome, across the Straits to Mackinac Island.

Events begin on Friday evening July 17 at Mackinaw City.

The Welcome will depart at 1:00 p.m.

On Mackinac Island, British soldiers will be welcomed by musical groups and cannons from the Fort and a flag will be delivered and raised following a parade from the store to the Fort for official commemoration ceremonies.

Additional activities are planned for Mackinaw City and on Mackinac Island all day Saturday with events concluding Sunday on the Island.

**Senior  
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Menu - July 17 to 23rd

JULY 17, NOON-Soup, Cole Slaw, Salisbury Steak, Mash Potato, Green Beans, Roll, Pumpkin Pie Squares.

JULY 20, NOON-Soup, Cottage Cheese, Salad, Goulash, Buttered Corn, Roll, Peach Plum Cobbler.

JULY 21, NOON-Juice, Lima Bean Salad, Pork Chops, Sauerkraut Dressing, Green Beans, Roll, Cherry Streusel Cake.

JULY 21, EVENING-Soup, Lettuce Salad, Layered Ham Dinner, Cauliflower, Rolls, Pecan Pie Squares.

JULY 22, NOON-Soup, Lettuce Salad, Victory Garden, Dinner, Broccoli-Bread, Pumpkin Pudding Tart.

JULY 23, NOON-Juice, Golden Glow Salad, Hot Beef Sand, Mashed Potato, Cauliflower C.S., Brickle Toffee Cake.

JULY 23, EVENING-Soup, Egg Salad on Lettuce, Salisbury Steak, Mash Potato, California Mix, Rolls, Strawberry Short Cake.

Reservations must be called in by 5:00 p.m. the day before for noon meals.

Evening meals called in by 12:00 noon same day.

If you have not made a reservation, you will be asked to wait until all those with reservations have been served to see if there is enough food. This system has been mandated by NEMSCA, in order to cut food costs by cooking for the exact number wishing to eat.

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Vivian's father, John Campbell, 97, of Independence, Missouri, is shown in the inset. (Photo by Carroll Wert).

**Services Held For  
Russell Vallad, 77**

Russell H. Vallad, 77, lifelong resident, died Monday, July 6, 1981 at Otsego Memorial Hospital in Gaylord, having been in ill health for the past four years.

Funeral services were held 1:00 p.m., Thursday, July 9, 1981 at Michelson Memorial United Methodist Church with the Reverend R.C. Puffer officiating.

Tressa Stephan provided two vocal solos for the services.

Pallbearers were Robert Hale, Scott Hale, Ross Vallad, Bill Worden, George McEvers and Mike McEvers. Honorary Pallbearers were Charles Gierke and Larkin Baker. Burial was in Elmwood Cemetery.

Mr. Vallad was born on February 14, 1904, the son of Gilbert and Nina (Buck) Vallad, at Buck's Crossing, Maple Forest Township. His family lived in Missaukee County from 1908 to 1910 and then returned to farm in Maple

Forest. In 1920 the family moved to Grayling where Russell attended Grayling High School and worked with his father and brother Warren, in the dairy business.

In 1923, he went to work at the old Hanson Saw Mill until 1929, from then to 1942 he was employed by the Crawford County Road Commission, leaving to work at DeFoes Ship Yard in Bay City until 1945.

Returning to Grayling he and Harry McEvers formed the company, McVal Lumber Mill, which they sold in 1956. Mr. Vallad then went to work for Stephans Wood Products until 1961 when he was employed as a rural mail carrier, retiring in 1977 due to ill health.

In 1925, he and Genevieve Kile were married, she died in an auto accident in 1937.

Survivors include his daughter, Betty Hale; brother, Warren of Kalkaska; grandson, Robert Hale; 4 great grandchildren; and several nieces and nephews.

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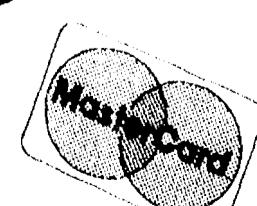
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## Michigan Mirror

### Legislature Looks To Fall For Tax And Business Issues

Warren M. Hoyt, Executive Director, MPA

Legislative leaders are looking to the fall session to deal with the ever present issues of taxes and economic development as the summer session ended with little results in those areas.

Leaders, however, promised to continue working throughout the summer on business and other issues.

The first six months of the 81st session was marked by the development of the doomed Proposal A and a Detroit aid package. Leaders labelled the session a "difficult and frustrating one."

During the waning hours of the session, rumors filtered through the Capitol Building that a final push would be attempted to gain property tax relief prior to the summer recess.

House and Senate Republican and Democratic caucuses all had plans they thought were what Michigan citizens wanted and demanded.

A possible struggle in the House over the property tax plan did not develop as Democrats decided to appoint a special task force to work over the summer to recommend a property tax proposal for fall.

That task force will consist of just Democrats - the Democratic members of the House Taxation Committee and a cross-section of other caucus members.

House Speaker Bobby Crim called the session extremely frustrating and predicted the fall session could be difficult as well.

He said it was clear that any property tax reform would have to be done legislatively as the voters have consistently turned down the property tax issues on the ballot.

House Republican Leader William Bryant said despite the emphasis on property taxes, the legislative leaders must not forget an earlier commitment to spend the summer developing ideas to improve the state's business climate.

Governor William G. Milliken said he welcomes the legislative initiatives on taxes, without stating an endorsement of any of the tax packages.

He said a tax cut proposal "is an appropriate issue for the fall session. The most important issue is an economic growth package."

Milliken said he would have more to say on economic growth proposals as the Legislature returns for the fall session.

#### New Tax Petition Drive Begins

A petition drive has been launched seeking a vote on an amendment to eliminate business taxes, cut income taxes while protecting funds for schools, local government and public and mental health.

Dick Jacobs of Grand Blanc, leader of the drive, said the amendment is needed in order to re-stimulate the state's economy.

Because of the deep cuts in revenue and the restrictions against cutting appropriations in specified areas, the proposed amendment would probably mean dramatic cuts in welfare programs.

Other large spending areas not protected include prisons and natural resources.

The amendment would cut income tax rates from 4.6 to 4 percent while increasing the personal exemption by 40 percent and providing further increases in the exemption tied to cost of living increases.

Further the amendment would repeal the Single Business Tax and prohibit any successor taxes. Any new and increased taxes would have to be approved by a majority vote of the people.

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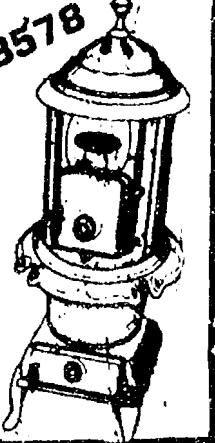
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## Solid Waste Act Rules Costly

By State Rep. Ralph Ostling

An enormous amount of legislative time is occupied with proposed regulations to administer the state's solid waste act, otherwise known as Public Act (P.A.) 641.

Literally mountains of paper have been written on the subject and the latest proposed regulations submitted by the Michigan Department of Natural Resources (DNR) ran to 40 pages.

Yet, as cumbersome and lengthy as these rules are — and whatever that portends for cities, townships, counties and industries trying to live within them — my main concern in reviewing these rules is the tremendous cost involved.

For example, one lower peninsula company testified that the requirement for "pea stones" over the mandatory clay liner were more rigorous than for the disposal of hazardous waste. Moreover, it would cost the firm \$250,000 to do it the way the DNR prescribed in the rules.

Yet another example of the cost is a communication received from the Washtenaw County Board of Commissioners. The county, of which Ann Arbor is the seat, said the rules would cost the county \$100,000. The commissioners complained that the county — one much more prosperous than those which are common in the North — could not afford such costs.

Another concern of mine about the DNR written rules is the arbitrary, even high handed manner in which the agency developed the rules.

A downstate state senator told me that he and his office set up a year's worth of time consuming meetings with DNR officials and county officials in his district. As he told me, he didn't believe the rules would be favorable to his rural district

but he did believe the DNR had truly listened and the rules would be workable.

He was stunned and angry to find out that when released the rules made no special provisions for the predominant soil conditions found in his district.

In a letter to planning directors in his district, he reflected on his experience with the DNR and sadly reported that "hours of testimony and volumes of correspondence from the affected counties have been totally dismissed in one administrative decision by the DNR. It is unconscionable and only heightens the distrust and disdain exhibited to the Department by a growing number of citizens."

The cost to businesses and local governments, the manner in which the DNR developed the rules, and the continuing intransigence on the part of the DNR to pay for the landfill sites required by the rules are the main reasons I voted against the rules last month.

The entire experience in reviewing these rules twice in five months is yet another confirmation of the sad state of affairs in the DNR.

It is a department which continues to operate almost completely out of control and whose only answer to cries for help to get Michigan moving again seems to be to launch an expensive, \$175,000 PR campaign.

That isn't the answer and I will continue to vote against the rules until such time as they are easily workable by local governments, are reasonable in cost for industry and they contain a sound mechanism for helping counties pay for the sites the DNR requires.

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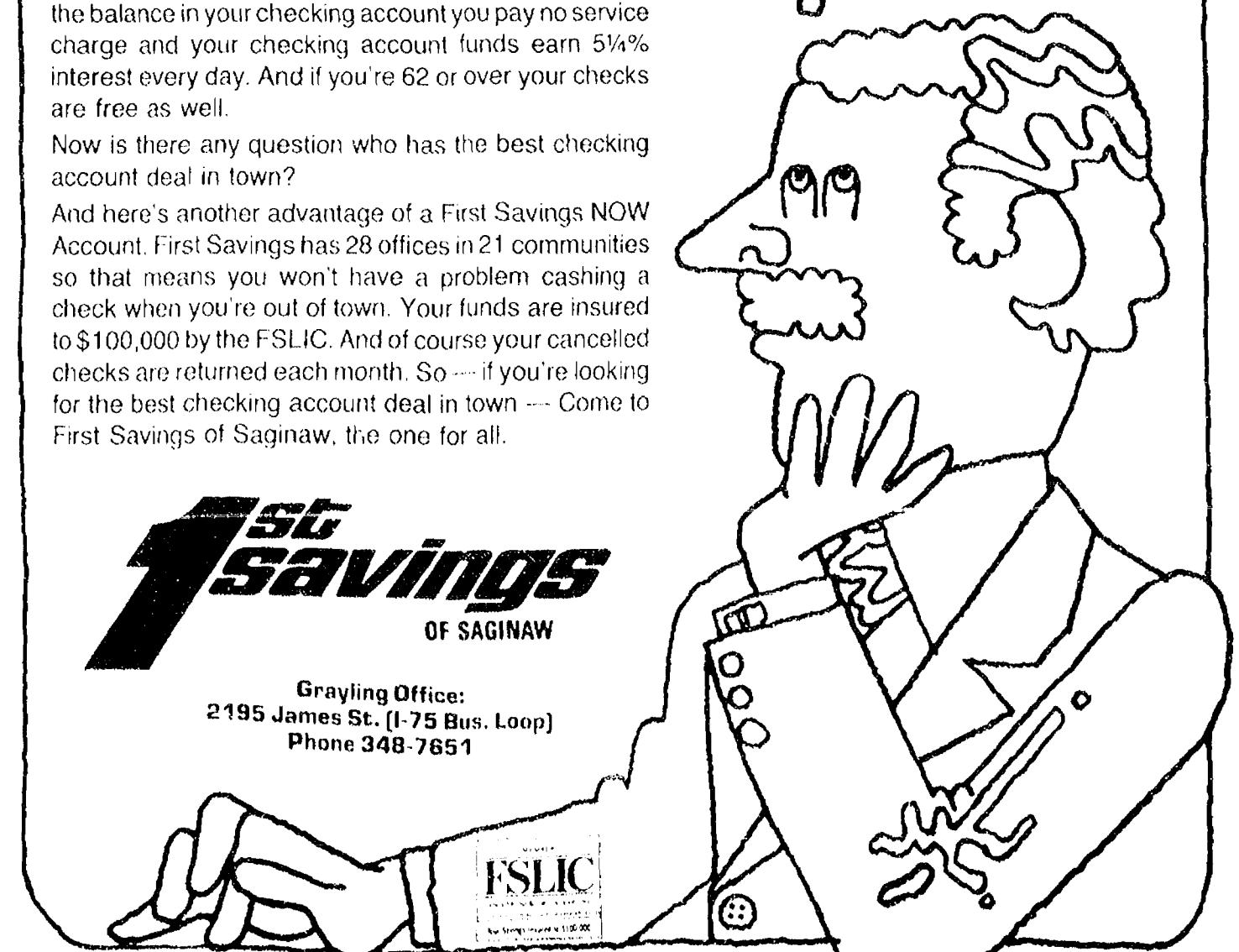
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Note: All contests will be competitively balanced.

Friday, July 17th—Sibs for Kids Teen Disco Night (teens only) Grayling High School Dining room from 7:00 to 11:00. Tickets \$1.50 at the door (please provide your own transportation).

Sat., July 18th — Sibs for Kids Honor Golf Tournament, Grayling Country Club from 9:00 to 4:00, adults and club members only, registration fee \$2.00 (we don't supply the equipment, fee doesn't include rental or green fees).

Sat., July 18th — High School Rockathon, no one admitted under 13, Grayling High School Dining Room from 8:00 to 12:00. Tickets \$2.50 each or \$5.00 per couple (we will be featuring two or three live bands from our area - including the Aztecs).

Please watch for future announcements!

### Senior League

#### Standings

	W	L
Laurines	7	3
C.F. Fick & Sons	6	5
Kiwanis	5	5
Northern Mich. Land & Oil	2	7

This week in Senior League action Monday, Kiwanis defeated Laurines. Dave Brooks was the winning pitcher, Wayne Ross the losing pitcher.

In Tuesday's game Northern Michigan Land & Oil defeated C.F. Fick & Sons. David Horsefall was the winning pitcher and Scott Collier took the loss.

In Thursday's action C.F. Fick & Sons defeated Kiwanis. Rob Morrill was the winning pitcher and Buzzy Parrello the losing pitcher.

On Friday Laurine's defeated Northern Michigan Land and Oil. Todd Riley was the winning pitcher with Ken Loderman taking the loss.

On Wednesday, July 15th the Senior League All Star Team travelled to Charlevoix to play Gaylord at 4 p.m. The game was carried live on WGRY.

Members of the All-Star Team are Ray Lange-Manager.

Lee Riley-Coach, Ryan Mordor, Jim Hill, Terry Hecker, Todd Riley, Rob Morrill, Jim Stewart, Ken Loderman, Tom Sorenson, Bartsie Cross, Rusty DeHart, Dave Brooks, Mike Hickey, Wayne Ross and Paul Hamlin.

The Cook's Cottage has hand dipped chocolates and Mackinac Island fudge for that special "Thank You" or "Get Well" thought.

Evelyn Nugent and her sister, Neta, of Saginaw, went to their beautiful singing, Thelma Shepard hard the organist, the Women's Circle who served the luncheon, Reverend Puffer for his wonderful service and Sorenson Funeral Home for all their kind deeds.

Also at this time a thank you to everyone who sent cards, gifts, visited my father at Provincial House in Gaylord during the past two years.

To Della Simpson and my Aunt Ruby a special thanks for weekly trips with me.

At Otesego Memorial Hospital and complete staff for the past four weeks, doctors and nurses, Dr. Cousineau of Gaylord, Provincial House and staff of Gaylord - Each and everyone my heartfelt thanks.

Mrs. Betty (Vallad) Hale & Family.

Included in their studies were seamanship, close order drill, Naval history and first aid.

Personnel who complete this course of instruction are eligible for three hours of college credit in Physical Education and Hygiene.

My bouquet goes this week to a local businessman who stopped briefly at Weaver's corner and helped the UPS person unload some freight so that they could be on their way more quickly - how thoughtful. And another bouquet to Jack Alef at Grayling State Bank for his monetary contribution to Tony for cleaning the alley.

The bank's flags are flying every day and the lawn is kept up very well. Another addition to downtown are the twenty-six state flags on Michigan Avenue. It all adds up to showing the tourists that we care.

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**Crawford AuSable School District**

Regular Meeting — June 15, 1981

**I. PRELIMINARY**

1. Call to Order. The meeting was called to order by President Kathleen Burkley at 7:31 p.m. in the High School Library.

## 2. Attendance.

## A. Members.

(1) Present:  
 Kathleen Burkley, President  
 Wm. Duane Sloan, Vice-President  
 Bernadine Dosch, Secretary  
 Mickey Perez, Treasurer  
 Mary Allen, Trustee  
 Freddie Allen, Trustee  
 Pauline Petrosky, Trustee  
 William Diedrich, Superintendent  
 Paul Lerg, Assistant Superintendent

## B. Others Present.

Mr. Kent Reynolds, Grayling High School Principal  
 Mr. Dale Nicholas, Grayling Middle School Principal  
 Mr. David Hawkins, Frederic Elem. Teaching Principal  
 Mr. Michael Branch, Grayling High School Assist. Principal  
 Mr. Peter Ingvarsson, State & Federal Programs Facilitator  
 Mr. William Morford, Newly Elected Board Member  
 Mr. Roger Moshier, Newly Elected Board Member  
 Several Teachers  
 Several Community Members

3. Approval of Minutes. It was moved by Bernadine Dosch, seconded by Mary Allen, to approve the minutes of the regular meeting held May 11, 1981. Motion carried: all aye.

**II. COMMUNITY RELATIONS**

4. Hearing Session. Mr. Wayne Hindmarsh presented his proposed budgetary reductions and reasons for the various groupings.

**III. COMMUNICATIONS**

5. Correspondence. The Board reviewed communications with Dr. Phillip E. Runkel, Superintendent of Public Instruction, Mick Barney, Elzinga & Volkers, Inc., Mrs. Jean Compton, Mrs. Judy Packard, Mrs. Pamela Spencer, Mr. Chuck Pick, Mr. Bernard Schmelzler, Michigan High School Athletes Association, Mr. Arnold Loomis, Vocational-Technical Education Service. The Board also reviewed a memo from Mr. Kent Reynolds to high school staff, a student petition, Preliminary Order from County Tax Allocation Board, invoice from Kingscott Associates, Inc. and a MASB Board of Directors Nominations Notice.

**IV. BOARD OPERATIONS**

6. Superintendent's Annual Performance Review Summary. It was moved by Pauline Petrosky, seconded by Mickey Perez, that the Superintendent's Annual Performance Review Summary be approved. Motion carried: all aye.

Dr. Diedrich was directed by the Board to make the recommended changes in the format of this document and bring it back to the Board in August or September.

7. Crawford County Board of Commissioners. Mrs. Elaine Harland presented the request from the Crawford County Board of Commissioners to the School District to appoint one of its members to serve in an ex-officio capacity, on the Commission. The Board will take action on this item at the next regular meeting.

**VI. BUSINESS**

8. April and May Monthly Financial Report and Bills. Because of lack of information, the April and May Monthly Financial Reports and bills presented for payment will be brought back to the next regular meeting for approval.

9. Kemper Investors Life Insurance Company. It was moved by Freddie Allen, seconded by Mary Allen, that Kemper Investors Life Insurance Company be added to the list of companies approved by the Board to offer tax sheltered annuities to employees of the Crawford AuSable School District. Motion carried: all aye.

10. Cooperative Education Agreement. It was moved by Pauline Petrosky, seconded by Mickey Perez, that the Crawford AuSable School District enter into a Cooperative Education Agreement for the 1981-82 school year with the Whittemore-Prescott School District for delivery of adult educational services (high school completion). Motion carried: all aye.

**VII. PERSONNEL**

11. Teaching Position Declined. It was moved by Wm. Duane Sloan, seconded by Mary Allen, that Mrs. Pamela Spencer's decline of the vacant, middle school English teaching position be accepted. Motion carried: all aye.

12. 1981-82 Bargaining Team. It was moved by Mary Allen, seconded by Freddie Allen, that Kathleen Burkley be named to the Board of Education's 1981-82 bargaining team to negotiate with district employee bargaining groups. Motion carried: all aye.

**VIII. INSTRUCTION**

13. Michigan High School Athletic Association. It was moved by Freddie Allen, seconded by Pauline Petrosky, that the resolution to join the Michigan High School Athletic Association, Inc. for the 1981-82 school year be adopted. Motion carried: all aye.

**IX. STUDENTS**

14. Policy JOB, Destruction of Record Information. A First Reading was held on Policy JOB, Destruction of Record Information and accompanying exhibit. The Board directed Dr. Diedrich to bring this back as an action item to the next regular board meeting.

**X. MISCELLANEOUS**

15. Conference Session:

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**Sandy Soil Doesn't Defeat****Grayling Gardener**

By Jon Thompson

Within the city limits of Grayling, a lush, productive garden has risen above the sandy soil and harsh climate that has defeated hundreds of gardeners in the county over the years.

"For ten years, my garden was awful like most everyone else's in Crawford County," Al Stephan said. "Then I subscribed to Organic Gardening magazine and followed their methods."

The organic practices have helped produce successful gardens for twenty years in a row for Stephan. This year, he had a large harvest of peas by July 8 and his corn was way past knee high by the Fourth of July. Annually he grows enough beans, corn, carrots, potatoes, tomatoes, and just about every vegetable that grows in Michigan to last his wife and himself for the entire year. And he has enough left over to give to other members of his family in Grayling.

Stephan said the key to a good garden is building up the sandy soil.

"The soil here needs organic matter," he said. "Anyone willing to make the effort to build up their soil can have a decent garden."

Stephan said his garden now has about 15 inches of dark soil



**POTATOES DOING WELL**—Stephan shows one of this year's potatoes, just one of dozens of plants in his garden.

weeks."

A few years ago, Stephan has his sprinkler rigged so a thermostat would turn on the

sprinklers when the temperature dropped to 34 degrees Fahrenheit.

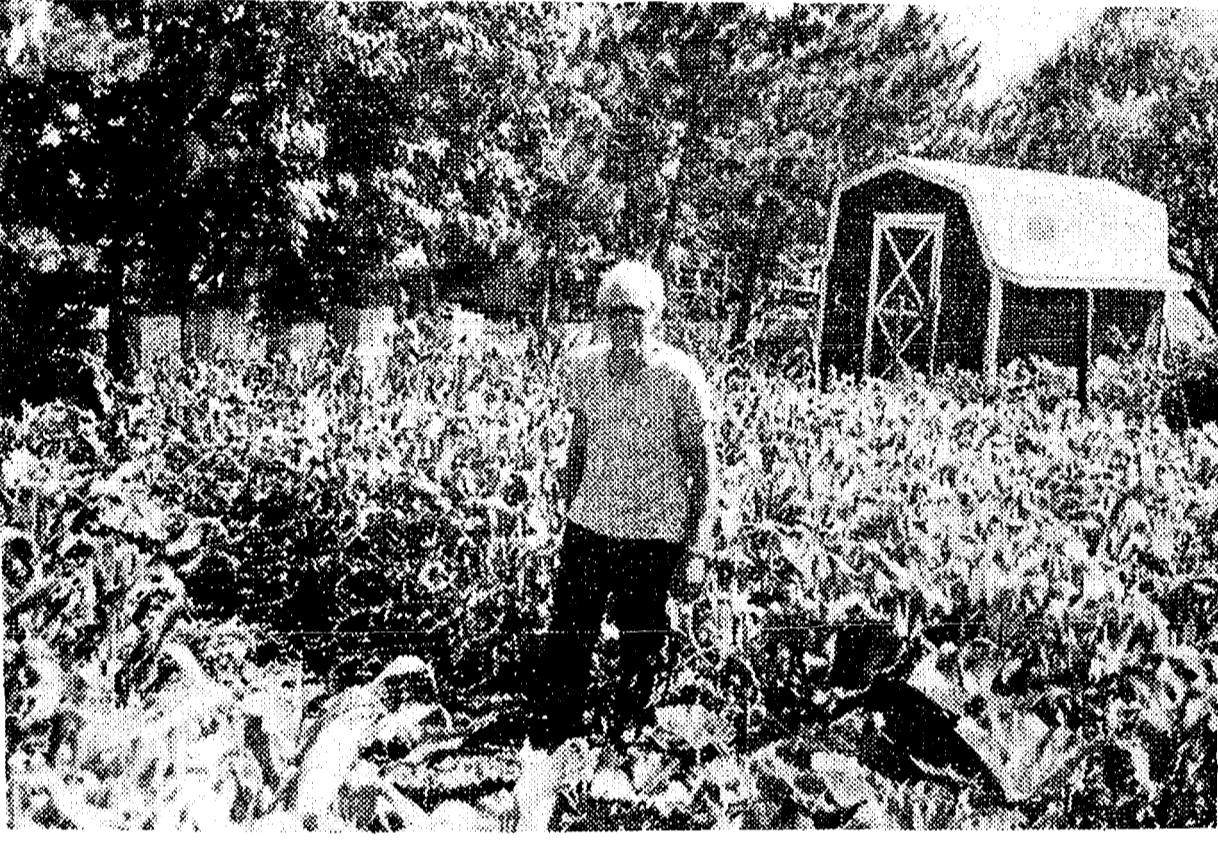
Stephan plants earlier than many people in the county. He had his corn in by May 10th this year and one year he planted peas in the middle of April.

He doesn't have a rule of thumb, however, about planting. He said soil temperature is the main condition to consider. He doesn't use thermometers to check the soil temperature. Instead, he relies on his feel for when the temperature is right.

"When you walk around in the garden barefoot and it feels good, you know the soil's pretty warm," Stephan quipped.

Stephan also grows apples, pears, plums, cherries, raspberries, strawberries, and owns honey bees besides growing every vegetable used in his kitchen.

It seems fitting that a descendant of one of the first settlers of Grayling has learned how to work with the land to produce one of the best gardens in the area.



**LUSH GRAYLING GARDEN**—Al Stephan, of Grayling, stands in front of some of his healthy corn. Stephan, with 30 years of gardening experience, has learned how to grow a productive garden in Grayling despite the sandy soil and harsh climate.

**Public Opinion Poll Taken by Herluf Moshier**

At one of the last public forum meetings held concerning school finances, Herluf Moshier conducted an opinion poll and obtained the following results:

1. Do you think the school children should be here in attendance at these meetings with the right to vote on possible future expenditures of the tax dollars?	Yes	No	Abstain
18	18	0	
2. Do you feel that we should be rushed into making major proposed cuts, and recommendations so quickly particularly when we are dealing with future education and such a large amount of dollars and no facts or figures to support either income or outgo?	Yes	No	Abstain
10	24	3	
3. Do you think tax dollars should be spent for another election (within the same year) when the results are overwhelmingly against a given proposition?	Yes	No	Abstain
18	18	1	
4. Do you favor the employees renegotiating portions of their contract (as permitted in Public Acts 379), and if approved, freezing &/or cutting both wages and benefits for one year, so as to save the school system in excess of \$250,000.00?	Yes	No	Abstain
26	9	5	
5. Are the present salaries the teachers receive sufficient to perform their duties without the use of paid teachers aids?	Yes	No	Abstain
19	8	11	
6. Do you believe that further examination should be made in regards to the fringe benefits for the school administration, teachers, etc., such as Dental, Life and Health Insurances?	Yes	No	Abstain
23	14	0	
7. Do you think non-operational budget expenditures should be made without public disclosure of the estimated cost and the source of the money?	Yes	No	Abstain
6	28	3	
8. Do you think large sums of tax dollars should be spent on outside firms and consultants without a vote?	Yes	No	Abstain
7	27	3	
9. Do you favor the sale of the "white house" and the remodeling (by the building trades class), the already heated, unused portion of the basement of M.S., for the use of school Admin. offices?	Yes	No	Abstain
21	13	3	
10. Do you feel that both the Superintendent and an Asst. Superintendent are necessary in our school system?	Yes	No	Abstain
15	20	3	
11. Do you feel that both a principal and a non-teaching asst. principal are necessary in our high school?	Yes	No	Abstain
10	24	2	
12. Do you think Non-property owners (except husbands &/or wives of property owners) should be allowed to vote on millage issues that will be paid for by the owners?	Yes	No	Abstain
13	21	3	
13. Do you think the school board, admin. and employees should be honest and respectful and show concern and attention to the will of the people on concerns, opinion polls, petitions, etc.?	Yes	No	Abstain
31	3	2	

## Millikins Win Title Game 15-5

By Jon Thompson

John Schreiber had some big hits to fill in the fifth inning of the Grayling Little League championship game last Saturday and he was up to the task.

Schreiber, 11, of Millikins Construction, came on in relief in the fifth inning for his team's ace pitcher, Kevin Hudson, and managed to quell an uprising by Grayling State Bank.

Millikins jumped off to an 11-run lead and was cruising along behind the pitching of hard-throwing Hudson, who had 10 strikeouts through the fourth inning. Hudson, 12, looked unbeatable until the fifth when two walks, an error, and a bunt brought home four runs.

Although Hudson wasn't giving up hits, Millikins coach Mike Shearer said he replaced his ace pitcher because he was getting a little tired and something had to be done to break up the comeback effort by State Bank. Schreiber gave up a base hit to the first batter he faced, John Cross, but then got Ward Thompson, an All-Star, to bounce out to short and struck out Joel Wagner, 11, to end the inning.

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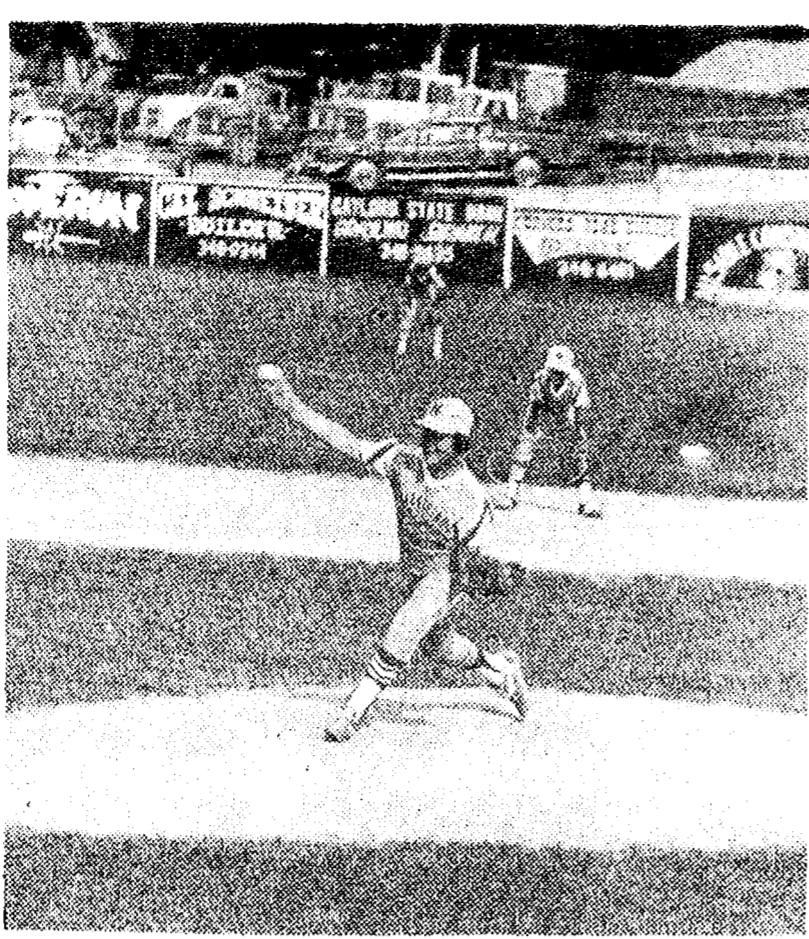
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Schreiber again blanked State Bank in the sixth inning to seal the victory.

Millikins 10-year-old shortstop, Bud Ostrowski, was named Most Valuable Player of the championship game. He had a three-run triple, a single, a walk, and made several good defensive plays.

Millikins jumped off to a early lead in the first two innings using six walks, two singles by Derric Christman, 10, and Hudson, and Ostrowski's three-run blast to score 10 runs.

State Bank came back in the fifth to make it close but a four-run sixth inning by Millikins gave them the league title for the second year in a row.



HIGH HARD ONE—Millikins ace pitcher, Kevin Hudson, struck out 10 Grayling State Bank players to help his team capture the championship.



1981 LITTLE LEAGUE CHAMPIONS—Millikins Construction won their second league title in a row. Team members, from left to right are (front row) Derric Christman, Bud Ostrowski, Dave Myers, Carrie Trudgeon, Frank Press. Second row, Joe LaGrow, Tim Zigila, Eric Methner, John Schreiber, Kevin Hudson. Third row, coaches Larry Ostrowski, Mark Willoughby, and Mike Shearer. Not pictured are Ron Melhorn, Rob Strong, and statistician Piper Ostrowski. (Jon Thompson Photo)

### Mainstreaming Handicappers

By Sue Louchart

The Crawford County Cooperative Extension Service 4-H Program has employed Janis Coughlin to act as coordinator for Mainstreaming Handicappers into the 4-H experiences.

The purpose of the mainstreaming program is to increase the exposure of handicappers to lifelong activities which contribute to living skills, employment development, leisure activities and may serve as stepping stones or motivational tools to develop self actualization and independence.

The handicapper may enroll in existing 4-H clubs or new ones may be established according to interests. This is more proof that 4-H has something for everyone in the community.

If you are a handicapper or know about one interested in 4-H or if you would like to volunteer as a 4-H leader, teen aide or adult aide please contact Janis Coughlin or Ann Stephenson at 349-5123.

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### Doodles From The Tall Timber

Wendell L. Hoover  
Park Interpreter

Large birds are not uncommon in this County, and we are all familiar with various hawks, owls, buzzards, eagles and whatnot. One of the most secretive birds in this area is the Pileated Woodpecker which, despite its size, is especially adept at staying out of sight. This is a woodpecker of the Big Timber and as our area forest gets older, its numbers will probably increase. The "Cock-of-the-Woods," as some call the species, is from 15 to 19 inches long with a wingspan to 30 inches, making this the largest of our woodpeckers. Overall, the bird is pretty much black with white stripes on the neck, conspicuous white wing linings which show in flight, and a very prominent red crest.

Where it works on a tree in search of carpenter ants, it creates a large, rectangular-shaped hole (other woodpeckers make round holes). Near the bottom of the tree, you will discover large wood chips or splinters which its powerful beak has removed. The nest is usually in a large tree anywhere from 12 to 60 feet above ground with a cavity up to 30 inches deep. In this hole, 3 or 4 white eggs are laid and hatched by both adults. Incubation, according to one source, takes 18 days, with most nesting activity in May.

While I cannot guarantee you will see one of our resident Pileated Woodpeckers if you visit the Hartwick Pines. I can say this is a good area in which to look. Perhaps you can add it to your Life List while you visit the Tall Timber.

### Editor's Mailbox

Dear Sir:  
The undersigned begs to differ re: The best years of the Hanson Hills, regardless of the name used.

Please check the 30's & 40's when the snow trains ran from Detroit and other places.

Even when Mr. Kirby ran at least one with about 3,000 on it when he was told not to as there had been a thaw and there was no snow or ice.

Also check with some or all of the former snow queens.

Sincerely,  
Ralph H. Routier

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### Dennis Henning Graduates Magna Cum Laude

Otto and Millie Nielson were very pleasantly surprised on Saturday evening, July 4, when their son, Melvin, and wife, Ruth, surprised them with a dinner for all of their family and a few friends. The Nielsons 60th anniversary fell on July 3. Guests at the Nielson home at Lake Margrethe were another son and his wife, Weldon and Lois Nielson of Royal Oak and all of their children and spouses, Mr. and Mrs. David Schaffer, Mr. and Mrs. Tom Bozzo, sons, Tommy and Danny, Mr. and Mrs. Frank Swords, sons, Darrick and Kevin, Mr. and Mrs. Mike Nielson, all of Royal Oak, and Mr. and Mrs. Mark Nielson of Clawson. Grandchildren from this area were Mr. and Mrs. David Nielson of Kalkaska and Mr. and Mrs. Dale Nielson, children, Dana, Corey, and Keith. The Nielsons also received flowers from nieces in California. Best wishes for many more years, Otto and Millie!

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## Little League Tournament Schedule

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### '81 SENIOR DIVISION AREA 4 DISTRICT AT CHARLEVOIX

JULY 15, 4:00 PM

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JULY 18, 10:00 AM

WINNER ADVANCES TO  
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JULY 19, 2:15 PM

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JULY 15, 6:30 PM

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JULY 24, 3:30 PM

EAST JORDAN

JULY 25, 3:00 PM

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JULY 26, 1:00 PM

WINNER ADVANCES  
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The Young Americans and the American Musical Theatre of Petoskey, are reaching out a bit this summer and taking Jesus Christ Superstar on the road.

The famous rock musical, in quadraphonic "surrounded sound" will be playing Friday and Saturday, August 7 and 8 at the Traverse City Glacier Arena.

One of Hollywood's leading directors and choreographers, Michael Cody, will be directing Superstar this summer which will be playing in Petoskey on Friday, Saturday and Sunday nights at the Petoskey High School with the exception of August 7 and 8.

The Young Americans, 140 students studying theatre and dance, will also be putting on the play "Showboat" Tuesday, Wednesday, and Thursdays until August 6 at the Petoskey Middle School.

"Showboat" features classic American songs such as "Old Man River," "Only Make Believe," "You Are Love," "Bill," and "Can't Help Lovin' Dat Man".

Grayling resident Pete Allen, most recently general manager of radio station WGRY, and formerly manager of WMBN AM/FM Petoskey, was named Advertising director for this year's Young Americans, a non-profit organization.

**Editor's Mailbox**

Dear Whitey:  
I always believed the park was for the use of the public including the wooden structure that's there. But after what I saw go on last Saturday, I doubt that it is.

First off, people (non-Booster Club members) were asked to move their vehicles while Booster Club members' vehicles remained.

Secondly, there were individuals turned away from the shelter during the rain storm when seeking shelter.

Thirdly, women holding small children that were frightened because of the storm were told to get off the chairs simply because they were originally there for the workers (Booster Club members) use. Well guess who used only some of them and the rest were vacant — you got it. The so-called gentlemen of the club not any women at the time.

Just because the Booster Club financed (this is what is claimed) for the building of the roof I should call it, I don't believe that gives them any right to act like they own the park. I don't believe that should give them the right to barricade the park from public parking there. There weren't any booths or anything in the parking lot so why barricade it? It would make about as much sense if some organization or maybe a few individuals were to put up bathrooms in the park and then say the public couldn't use them.

As far as I am concerned anything put in a place used by the public and for the public becomes part of that place and is there for the use of all the people who paid for it being put there. I'm not saying the club can't use it, I am just saying they should quit acting like they own it when using it.

A concerned citizen  
Name withheld upon request

**Legal Notice**

STATE OF MICHIGAN  
In the Circuit Court for  
The County of Crawford  
File No. 80-005-037 CH  
Harold M. Guedry, Plaintiff  
vs  
Ruth Fairbotham (Barber),  
Defendant

NOTICE OF SALE

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HEREBY GIVEN to the pursuant to a Judgment of Foreclosure and Order of Sale entered by the Circuit Court Clerk for the County of Crawford, State of Michigan on the 4th day of May, 1981 in favor of Harold M. Guedry, Plaintiff and against Ruth Fairbotham (Barber) Defendant, I shall offer to sell to the highest bidder at a public auction to be held at the Court Clerk's office at the Crawford County Courthouse, Grayling, Michigan on the 29th day of July, 1981 at 10:00 a.m. the following described real estate, to wit:

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## Engagement Announced



Mr. and Mrs. Alpha Lewis, of Middleville, are pleased to announce the engagement of their daughter, Louise, to John D. Herrick, son of Mr. and Mrs. Duke LaMotte, of Grayling, and the late Lawrence Herrick.

Herrick is a graduate of Grayling High School and is attending Ferris State College and Olivet College. Lewis is a graduate of Thorn Apple Kellogg High School in Middleville and is also attending Olivet College.

## Mark Anderson President of Ski Association

Mark Anderson, a native of Grayling, is currently serving as president of the Central Professional Ski Instructors Association.

Anderson is one of two skiers in the eastern portion of 16-state association area to be certified in both Nordic and Alpine instruction.

Anderson, who lives in Grand Rapids and works for Bil-Mar Builders, started skiing when he was five years old at Grayling Winter Sports Park (now Hanson Hills).

He lived a mile from the park and in an interview with The Michigan Skier Magazine said he remembered when lift tickets were 15 cents at the park and it cost 25 cents to ski for an entire weekend.

Anderson raced for the Grayling High School ski team, making an all-state team his senior year. He went on to race for the University of Wyoming and Michigan State University.

Anderson is the son of Batch Anderson, of Grayling, and the late Rosetta (Lolly) Anderson.

## Your Week Ahead Horoscope

Forecast Period: 7/19 - 7/25/1981

**ARIES** Mar. 21-Apr. 19 The week begins with a very productive meeting at your home base. Others are receptive to your opinion.

**TAURUS** Apr. 20-May 20 As with Aries, your views hold weight. Your family may raise objections to your choice of friends.

**GEMINI** May 21-June 20 Domestic tranquility may be ruffled due to demands on your time from the top echelon.

**CANCER** June 21-July 22 Hold the reins tight where emotions and drives are concerned. Now is not the time to let loose.

**LEO** July 23-Aug. 22 Marital issues have first priority. You are very susceptible to suggestion, but must not lose sight of hard facts.

**VIRGO** Aug. 23-Sept. 22 You can carry this idea of the spotlessness to extremes, and thus defeat the purpose. Ease up.

**LIBRA** Sept. 23-Oct. 22 Fun and games are the order of the day. Sentimental yearnings lend an air of romance.

**SCORPIO** Oct. 23-Nov. 21 A threat to domestic security proves to be a false alarm. What was a worry never becomes a woe.

**SAGITTARIUS** Nov. 22-Dec. 21 Phone contacts prove to be very time consuming. You'll have to be firm in allowing time for your talkative friends.

**CAPRICORN** Dec. 22-Jan. 19 Tending to financial matters brings peace of mind as the ratio of income-outgo levels out.

**AQUARIUS** Jan. 20-Feb. 18 The need for a change finds you shopping for a new environment, and it will be a beauty.

**PISCES** Feb. 19-Mar. 20 Your sensitivity to the beauty in nature leads you to an artistic means of expression.

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It could be worth investigating.

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Sunday	Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday	Saturday
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## County Person Considered For KCC Board

One Crawford County person is among several candidates being considered for appointment to a Kirtland Community College Board of Trustees position.

The board is looking to fill a vacancy created by trustee Jim Heim's resignation. Heim, of West Branch, resigned in June because of a job transfer out of the college's district (roughly the four-county area of Crawford, Roscommon, Oscoda, and Ogemaw).

Currently the board has one Crawford County representative—President of the Board Bob Bovee - three Roscommon County trustees, one Oscoda County trustee, and one Ogemaw County trustee. The new board member will likely come from Crawford or Ogemaw because they are heavier populated than Oscoda.

The new member will be appointed to a term ending in June, 1982. The board seat will then be up for election for a two-year term. Regular board terms are for six years. There will be two six-year terms up for election next June.

## Proposals

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It was the only curriculum-based program excluded from the first millage package.

An entire breakdown on the three millage packages will be presented in the July 23 issue of the Avalanche.

In other school board news, Kathleen Burkley was re-elected to serve another term as school board president and Bernadine Dosch was elected as vice president. Mary Allen was elected as secretary and Freddie Allen was elected as treasurer.

## Larcenies

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Eight other larceny complaints were also investigated by the sheriff department last week. A canoe valued at \$400 was reported missing from Timothy Jerome, of Ypsilanti, who owns a cabin at Lake Margrethe, and a boat used by military personnel at Camp Grayling was also reported missing.

In other police news, sheriff deputies discovered an air boat being used on the North Branch of the AuSable last Saturday. The owner said he was only testing the boat and will be using it in the future at lakes only.

On Friday, sheriff deputies received a call that a Grayling man, Donald Forbes, 19, had injured himself diving off the footbridge in the city park. About 4:45 p.m. Forbes allegedly dove in and struck the bottom, injuring his chest.

He was reportedly taken to Mercy Hospital by friends for treatment.

Also during last week deputies responded to 13 domestic problems, 12 reports of malicious destruction of property, 11 ambulance calls, 6 breaking and enterings, 9 water and noise complaints, 9 suspicious situations, 6 personal injury accidents, and 5 off-road vehicle disturbances.

## Scholarships

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the college freshman grant.

The scholarship program has proved to be one of the most favorably received of the numerous worthy projects initiated by the Booster Club since the club was organized in 1970.

All profits received from the clubs' many ambitious activities through the past eleven years have been channeled toward the benefit of all Crawford County youths. In a few more years, some of these older youths will return to Grayling and Crawford County as business and professional members of the community. Others, of course, will make their marks elsewhere. The Booster Club will continue to fulfill its motto, "What Helps Youth, Helps Crawford County".

## CARD OF THANKS

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